

BERGEN AND NICHE VALLEY

Three truck loads of lumber have gone from here to Delburne, and two to Calgary.

Toby Shartner and family, Peter, Paul and Arnold Baer, went out East to attend a wedding. Toby has not returned as yet, but Peter and Paul keep the planer running.

Jack Suderman returned East and Walter Baer tails the planer.

Ray Sells, who owns the S.E. of 2-32-6-5, and is the secretary of the carpenter's union in Calgary, was married on January 25th.

Mrs. Paul Baer came out this week to help novillate the new village. She lives in cottage 2 west, on Shartner avenue.

Peter and Paul Baer took a truck load of lumber to Calgary Monday.

Harvey Wideman had his tonsils and teeth removed in one operation. He can't say "Sheep soup, short soup" very readily yet, but he can take some nourishment.

Howard Lachman is saving ice for Jack Davidson and others. I couldn't see who had the lower end of the saw.

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Taxpayers Ask Government For Secondary Highways

Approximately 200 people attended the annual meeting of the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 40, held in the Lions hall, Didsbury on Saturday afternoon, February 16.

H. L. Taggart of Olds was chairman of the meeting and the financial statement of the municipality was read and discussed. The statement showed \$95,716 cash on hand and \$11,500 in bonds. Uncollected taxes were \$114,059, being a reduction of \$34,836 from the previous year. Approximately 87% of the current taxes were collected last year, and approximately 35% of the arrears collected.

Liabilities of the municipality were shown at \$48,005.48, and the balance of assets over liabilities was \$226,222.92. Capital assets in addition were \$53,411.77.

A report on road work showed that in 1945 117 miles of road were gravelled; 27 miles elevated, and 2 miles partly done, and 49 1/2 miles of road bladed.

It was also stated that within the municipal district of Mountain View there were 39 miles of main highways; 21 miles of secondary highways; 342 miles of gravelled district roads; 1696 miles of graded roads, and 121 miles of unopened roads.

Two resolutions were passed unanimously, asking that the Provincial Government declare the road east of Carstairs to Acme a secondary highway; and that the road east of Olds to Trochu be declared a secondary highway.

Another resolution passed unanimously asking that the Provincial Government refund to the municipality 50% of truck and car license fees which originate from the municipal district.

Discussion took place on the proposal made by the Provincial Government to combine the municipal district, school division, and hospital district, and declare a uniform mill rate for school purposes over the entire province in rural areas, and the meeting generally was opposed to these proposals.

Discussion took place of the establishing of an Agricultural Board as provided in the Agriculture Service Board Act, and the matter was left entirely in the hands of the

Council. At the close of the meeting a vote of thanks was passed to the Council for their services rendered in 1945.

MISS MARGARET HANSON REGENT OF MONS I.O.D.E.

Mons chapter I.O.D.E. elected officers for 1946 at the February meeting at the home of Mrs. W. A. McFarquhar.

Elected were: Regent, Miss Margaret Hanson; first vice regent, Mrs. Marie Foote; second vice regent, Mrs. W. W. Gillrie; secretary, Miss P. Carter; treasurer, Mrs. Nyle Hunsperger; standard bearer, Miss Joyce Morgan; Echo secretary, Mrs. E. B. Grange; education and Empire study, Mrs. H. Bowman and Mrs. Evelyn Willison; child and family welfare, Mrs. C. Mortimer.

RUGBY W.I. MEETS AT HOME OF MRS. A. COWITZ

The W.I. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Alfred Cowitz with an attendance of 11 members and a few visitors. As the District 3 Conference is being held in Red Deer on March 7 and 8 it was decided to postpone the regular monthly meeting till March 12th.

During the afternoon two baby quilts, for refugee work, were tied, one of these being donated by two members. Some of the "housewives" were handed in, and materials for filling the same, and these will be completed and dispatched as soon as possible.

A whist drive is to be held at the home of Mrs. R. McNaughton Monday, March 4. Everyone welcome.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. W. Weidner and assistants who acted as judges for the bread and cake contest. Score is as follows: Bread, 1st, Mrs. Wahl; 2nd, Mrs. A. Blain; Cakes, 1st, Mrs. McNaughton; 2nd, Mrs. A. Blain.

Mrs. Hogg read an entertaining article on the "Shape of Everyday Things to Come".

The March meeting will be held on March 12th at the home of Mrs. Thompson.

FALLEN TIMBER NOTES

There will be a welcome home party for the returned boys in the Fallen Timber school house on Friday evening, Feb. 22, put on by the Boy Scouts.

Mrs. Percy Fair departed for the Pacific coast Tuesday morning on an extended visit.

Miss Bethel Mellon has returned to the district again after a short visit with relatives in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roberts and Ray McMullen were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Moore on Sunday.

Wayne and Ray were disappointed at not finding Alex at home as they wanted to find out brand of fertilizer he was using on his whiskers.

Brigham Youngs Destroying Angels are still operating in the neighborhood, leaving behind them a trail of broken fences, smashed gates and spoiled sleigh roads.

Mrs. J.A. Howton is visiting her parents in Calgary.

C.P.A. Dick is back in the bush after a week end in Didsbury.

Mrs. Montgomery is reported on the sick list.

Mrs. Cooper has recovered from the flu and is teaching again.

ROY EDWARD JAHNKE DIES IN HOLY CROSS HOSPITAL

Roy Edward Jahnke, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jahnke, died in the Holy Cross Hospital on February 5th at the age of 7 weeks.

Surviving are the sorrowing parents and two sisters, Edna and Max.

Funeral services were held last Thursday, Feb. 14th, at 2:30 p.m. from the Jahnke home, with the Rev. A. L. Elliot officiating. Interment followed in the Didsbury cemetery with Herb Fisher in charge of arrangements.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

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DIDSBURY LIONS CLUB ICE CARNIVAL ONE OF BEST EVER HELD HERE

Chuck Wagon Races Provide Excitement

The ice carnival sponsored by the Didsbury Lions Club at the last Wednesday afternoon and evening was patronized by one of the largest crowds ever to attend such an entertainment in Didsbury.

The afternoon program started at 3:30 o'clock with skating races, and the following were the prize winners:

Boys 9 and Under—1st, Jim Esler; 2nd, Keith McCoy.

Girls 9 and Under—1st, Eileen Dugford; 2nd, Ruby Dugford.

Girls 12 and Under—1st, Eileen Dugford; 2nd, Bertha Jans; 3rd, Beverly Wiggins.

Girls 16 and Under—1st, Jean Diddbury; 2nd, Norma Ringheim; 3rd, Joan Wood.

Ladies' Open—1st, Norma Ringheim; 2nd, Gladys Ringheim; 3rd, Delis Holmquist.

Boys 9 and Under—1st, Earl Riemer; 2nd, Miller McCoy.

Boys 12 and Under—1st, Conrad Plutz; 2nd, Jack Gillrie.

Boys 16 and Under—1st, P. Redfield; 2nd, Bob Eric; 3rd, M. Geeb.

Men's Open—1st, L. Gable; 2nd, MacLean; 3rd, Stewart Liese.

Couple Race—1st, L. Gable and Norma Ringheim; 2nd, Bob MacLean and Deloris Holmquist; 3rd, Chuck Newton and Jean Dugford.

A novel feature was the preliminaries in the "Chuck Wagon" races. These were made up of miniature chuck wagons mounted on toboggans and pulled by teams of teenage boys. Sponsors of the chuck wagons were: Law's Drug Store, "Roxley River Pile", Halliday's, "101 Spread", Massey Harris, "K & M Gang", Rosebud Hotel, "Dry Gulch Gang", Lions Club "Roarin' Lions", and Berscht's "Dude Ranch Gang".

First prize in the chuck wagon races went to Dick Kimmel's crew of the "K & M Gang", comprising Dick Kimmel, Don Davies, Barney Hunsperger, Don Devolin, Joe (Jr) Freeman, Jean Jennie and Mary Goss.

Second prize went to the Lions Club "Roarin' Lions" with a crew consisting of Myria Giebers, Bob Eric, Irvin Roberts, Billy Edwards, Don McArthur, Gladys Ringheim and Laura McCoy.

The final item on the afternoon's program was a broomball game between the single men (dressed in ladies' clothes) and the married men. This feature provided considerable entertainment for the spectators and ended in a win for the beneficiaries by a 5-4 score.

In the evening the program commenced at 8 o'clock with the finals in the chuck wagon races, and this was won by the team of skaters pulling the "Massey Harris" entry of McFarquhar and Kimmel.

The Didsbury band provided music, and while the rink was crowded to capacity in the evening, a large number appeared on the ice in costume. Judges were Mrs. Jas. Calhoun, Mrs. D. Edwards and E. Reiber and prizes were awarded as follows:

Best Comic Adult: 1st, Lawrence Gabel; 2nd, Ernie Clarke.

Best Dressed Lady: 1st, Geraldine Ford; 2nd, Mrs. E. Wiggins.

Best Dressed Gent: 1st, H. Lynch-Staunton; 2nd, Mrs. Lila Tugle.

Best Comed Boy: 1st, Miller McCoy; 2nd, Jack Gillrie.

Best Dressed Boy: 1st, Jack McFarquhar; 2nd, Lindsay McFarquhar.

Skating was enjoyed for an hour or so and the carnival was concluded with a moccasin dance, with music by the public address system and the Didsbury band.

Proceeds of the carnival will net the Lions Club approximately \$230, which will be used for community betterment.

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CRYSTAL DAIRY AT DIDSBURY WINS AWARDS FOR BUTTER

In the list of awards given at the Alberta Dairymen's Convention in Edmonton last week, the Didsbury plant of Crystal Dairy Ltd. was mentioned as winning 8th place in the Improvement Competition for buttermakers.

The Crystal Dairy of Didsbury also won 4th award in the Ideal Factory competition, and second in the Improvement competition.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR ENOCH DAWSON HELD SAT.

Former well-known southern Alberta ball player, Enoch Ring (Enle) Dawson, age 52, of Neapolis district, died in the Didsbury hospital last Wednesday following a brief illness.

Born in Hillsboro, N.B., he came to Calgary in 1912 and moved to Didsbury in 1919. He lived here until 1936 when he moved to Sunnyslope where he operated a grocery store. About a year ago he moved to the Neapolis district east of Didsbury, and was manager of the Neapolis Co-Operative store.

Mr. Dawson was an enthusiastic sportsman, and a member of the I.O.F.

Surviving are his widow, Emily Hilda, Neapolis; one son, Rex, attending Mount Allison College in Calgary; one brother, Alfred, Calgary.

Funeral services were held from the Knox United church, Didsbury, on Saturday, February 16th, at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. D. Whyte Smith officiating.

Pallbearers were: P.A. Neufeld, R.C. Millan, C.P. Reimer, F. Ahlgrim, P. Schumaker and G. Tighe. Interment followed in the Didsbury cemetery with Gooder brothers funeral home in charge of arrangements.

MEMORIAL MEETING AT HOME OF MRS. H. REIBER

The memorial meeting, which took place at the home of Mrs. H. Reiber on Thursday, Feb. 14th, in loving memory of Francis E. Willard, was well represented by members and friends. The meeting opened with President Mrs. C. Hallman in the chair. A short business session followed and five new members were received.

The gathering was favored with a quartette by students of the M.B. C. Bible School. Also a reading by Miss H. Neufeld entitled "A Knot of White Ribbons". Glimpses of Francis Willard's young girlhood life and how her future life became famous, were given by Mrs. A. A. Russell.

An offering was received for world's W.C.T.U. missions.

MR. MILLER OF CALGARY BUYS RUSSELL BAKERY

Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Russell, who have operated the Russell Bakery

CHAS. FOX AND H. ROEDLER ELECTED TO MUN. DIST. COUNCIL

At the nomination meeting held Saturday afternoon for municipal councillors and hospital representatives the following new nominations were handed in to Returning Officer Geo. A. Youngs:

For Municipal Councillor: Division 1—Chas. Fox, Division 3—Herman Roedler.

For Hospital Representatives: Olds Municipal Hospital—A. M. Robertson.

Didsbury Municipal Hospital—B. C. Trimble and Fred J. Niddrie.

As there were just sufficient nominations to fill the vacancies, there is no necessity of holding an election and the above nominees were all declared elected by acclamation by Returning Officer Geo. A. Youngs. The 1946 Council of the Municipal District will consist of Messrs. Chas. Fox, Geo. Haug, Herman Roedler, A.L. Hogg, W.H. Metz, F. J. Niddrie, and B.C. Trimble.

MELVIN NEWS NOTES

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Krebs on the birth of a daughter, Marilyn Elaine, on Feb. 12. On Feb. 18 a whist drive was held under the auspices of the A.E.U. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Krebs. Nine tables were played and a sum of \$8.90 was cleared. First prizes were won by Olga Dupont and Albert Schneidmiller, consolation going to Mrs. Lawrence Krebs and Sid Summers.

The February meeting of the Melvin Red Cross Group was held at the home of the president, Mrs. L. Chandler. The afternoon was spent working at handicrafts and this work will be continued when the group meets again next month at the home of Miss Ruth Johnston.

On Friday afternoon the teacher and pupils of the Melvin school enjoyed a Valentine skating party on the river.

Mr. Carlson's have bought a house in Calgary and are moving some of their furniture down this week. Monday evening we saw the James McFarquhar stuck on the road. Too bad, but it meant two more gentlemen at our whist drive.

Mr. C.G. Carlson was a Calgary visitor last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Krebs spent several days in Calgary last week, where August is undergoing medical treatment.

In Didsbury for the past 25 years, have disposed of the business to Mr. Miller of Calgary, and the new owner is now in town assisting Mr. Russell, although he does not officially take over the business until March 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell have not disposed of their house in town and expect to reside in Didsbury.

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A bride in Morocco sits motionless, eyes and mouth closed for five days after the wedding. Even when she is brought to the table to eat, she does not respond to anyone but the bridegroom.

Warfare Was Carried On By Remote Control With Very Ingenious Method Kept Secret

ABOUT eighteen months ago, a pair of Flying Fortresses appeared over East Anglia, in England. Inside one of the bombers the pilot feverishly pulled at a row of special switches. The radio operator gave him a final twist, then winked off his headlights and pointed for the open door at the back of the plane. The pilot was right behind him. Together they leaped out. As the two men floated down toward the green English countryside, the empty bomber flew serenely out across the Channel, still in perfect formation with the other plane.

Several hours later, over Germany's territory, the empty Fortress dived at an enemy target and exploded with terrific force. The lone bomber whirled once, then flew back toward England. The plane that exploded on a German installation was a battle-worthy Fortress, a gallant old bomber that had seen too much flak, too many enemy fighters, too many hours of combat over Europe. The ground crew could find nothing really wrong. It was just three rivets and bolts and screws were weary. Bombers get that way.

Instead of being scrapped or returned to the States, the old Fortress was loaded with ten tons of Torpex, an explosive with greater blast power than the old TNT. The charge was stacked in open boxes inside the plane, from which all guns and excess fittings had been removed. The boxes were wired for simultaneous effect.

When the experiment started, veteran combat pilots were asked to volunteer for a "secret dangerous" project. Each would be asked to fly only once. They responded quickly and went heroically to the first mission. In the briefing room the first expresso changed to incognito as the plan was outlined to them.

The first bomber was to be loaded with a maximum weight of the new Torpex. The pilot would take off from a secret airfield. After making certain that the bomber was on course, he would arm the explosive and then bail out over England. Thereafter, the death plane would be radio-directed by the other bomber.

The secret work was carried on at carefully guarded airfields by experts from the 8th Air Force's 4th Air Division, USAF, and Air Technical Service Command. Crews were not permitted to leave the enclosure. Men carrying the boxes of incandescent explosives to the planes put up their lives against the stub of a tee. One plane exploded while it still sat on the runway, but no trace of pilot or plane was ever found.

The first bomber was loaded on an isolated emergency air strip kept constantly open for Allied pilots in distress. The plane was poised for the take-off when a German bomber with a crew of three suddenly swooped in and landed. Presumably through an error in navigation, the Germans mistook the field for an airbase in Holland. In any case, the suicidal Fortress was unloading immediately and, with nine others, was transferred to another field, from which the first mission might have been dispatched a few days later.

Although the Germans never admitted they knew, the assembly was learned by them when one of the planes inexplicably dipped down and came to rest after a perfect three-point landing. The pilot of the mother Fortress frantically tried to make the bomber dive into the ground, but the explosive-laden plane defied him. The German pilot even held so gently that the delicate charge was not even disturbed.

The device which fired the death load was constantly improved. At first, the pilot pulled a mechanical cable lever. Electrical switches replaced this method, but pilots found that pulling any such lethal switch took more will power than many of them cared to summon. Ultimately, the arming was done by radio from the mother plane.

In all, twenty-five battle-worthy bombers were dispatched in the experiment. The project, aimed at Germany, was not completely successful. But it marked another long step in the development of warfare by remote control and, as such, it was something to think about.

HAD IDEA TOO

A number of Scotch decent, rather noted for his close calculations, also operated a small farm in Vermont.

One day he observed his hired man sitting idly by the plow, as the horses took a needed rest. This rather shocked the good man's sense of economy. After all, he was paying the man 25 cents an hour. So he said, gently but reproachfully, because the country covers so much territory and includes so many people.

"That I would," replied John aggressively. "And might I suggest, your reverence, that you take a pack of potatoes into the night and feed 'em during the autumn."

Some Russian broadcasting stations broadcast in 64 languages, because the country covers so much territory and includes so many people.

Revenge And Gratitude

Story Comes From Orient That Could Happen Any Place Else

Hong Kong's first post-war night-journalism jobbery has been a strange tale of mixed generosity and revenge. It could happen anywhere in the Orient, where time moves so slowly that a man can feel free to devote a lifetime to getting even with an affront.

The story was told in a long letter to all Hong Kong newspapers by a jobless victim named Tan Tong Hee, a wealthy Chinese dealer in dental supplies.

The jewelry-vandal roughly at 1,000 Hong Kong dollars, or more than 250,000 Canadian dollars—was stolen from his home by three handmen during his absence.

Explaining the source of his wealth, Tan wrote: "About eight years ago while I was a resident in Singapore, I had the unhappy experience of being made to suffer grievance at the hands of a certain rich man."

"I then made a secret vow that my one intention in life would be to avenge that grievance most fairly directed against me. My one intention was that I should work very hard in order to show that I could make money enough to enable me to avenge that grievance by establishing an institution to compete with his own."

"Thereafter, from that time onward I in fact exerted my utmost in order that I might arrive at my goal in the shortest possible time."

Tan had not only American dollars in capital when he set out to regain his lost "face." He moonshined it so rapidly he was almost in a position to seek his revenge when the war broke out and forced him to shelve his plan temporarily. Fearing his wealth in diamonds.

"Unfortunately, that man has since died during the Japanese occupation," Tan continued, "and consequently I am now deprived of the chance to avenge that grievance since he undoubtedly would be unwilling to see for himself what I would be doing."

Tan brooded long over what to do at the fortune he had built up and which, he felt, was unnecessary for his own needs.

He decided finally to express his family's gratitude for the peace and freedom which we all are enjoying today. He would erect a war memorial and entertainment centre for the benefit of all Allied soldiers, sailors and airmen.

Unfortunately, the god that disrupted his plans. However, the robbery which he had planned in a bag in which he had stored some jade and a diamond diamond which he feels at present prices may bring up to 250,000 Hong Kong dollars.

Tan now has offered the proceeds from this jewelry to the community to erect a war memorial on land which he will donate. If the stolen jewels are recovered, all but the 20 per cent which he has offered as a reward will be available to build a recreation centre.

Solving Crimes

Scotland Yard Proves That Murder Does Not Pay

Scotland Yard, London's detective headquarters, after the heaviest year of crime since 1928, proved in 1945 that murder does not pay.

Out of 28 murder inquiries during the year in the London police area, 22 were solved. In the remaining six the police have definite suspects, although they have had no opportunity to deal with criminals in their own area. They also said men to the Inspector to assist the local chief when requested.

At one time last year every chief inspector of the murder squad was engaged in a murder investigation. A jewel thief was a big way of business and petty house-breakers are the crooks who have not only given far more trouble but have been the most successful.

Many thousands of pounds' worth of jewelry was stolen during the year and hardly any was recovered. London Daily Mail.

PLEASANT SURPRISE

A London Post-Bureau, who hadn't seen butter in weeks was desperately hunting a substitute. In a store she asked for her favorite margarine. "Haven't any," said the shop assistant, but butter was available. "I don't know what I'm going to do," she told the grocery clerk. "Wait a minute," said the clerk. "I could let you have half a pound of butter."



DR. HENRY S. DOYLE.

of Toronto, who has been appointed director of the Division of Communicable Diseases, Saskatchewan Department of Public Health. He succeeds Dr. E. C. Middleton, who joined the department in 1936, and will shortly retire on superannuation.

British Shipyards

Had Orders For Nearly 100 Merchant Vessels

According to Lloyd's Register, nearly four hundred merchant vessels were on order with British yards at the end of December. Since most British yards had switched to post-war construction some time before the end of hostilities, most of those now in the course of construction will be a far cry from the ships rushed down to the water when the U-boats were on the prowl. It is the cargo ships which still are the main concern of the shipping men, and they account for the bulk of the new work.

Most is being made of the scientific advances made during the war. Hull-forms, for instance, have been improved so much that cargo capacity has been increased almost one-third without requiring an increase in horsepower.

Passenger craft have not been overlooked, however. Half a dozen thirty-thousand-ton liners are coming, including a sister ship for the Mauritania and two of slightly smaller size for the British-Austrian service, designed to cut eight days from the normal travel time.

Despite the fact that building costs have gone up sharply in British yards, foreign orders are still coming in with France seeking five ships, Holland three, Portugal two and Argentina one. British ships, even if there are not as many of them as there used to be, still provide the standard for all. Montreal Star.

Limited Menus

May Be Here To Stay, But Time Will Decide

In Toronto an association of restaurant proprietors announced that the limited menus made necessary by war are here to stay. They say that never again will eating places have the lavish variety of food which was offered in previous days.

For the present the public will have to be content with a limited choice because of scarcities which will prevail for some time. But the restaurant people need not look very far ahead to the time when they will be offering a wide range of foods for their customers. Competition is going to be keen in the restaurant business a little later on and there's nothing like a little rivalry to stir things up to capture the customer's dollar. That will be enough to start it and in matter how long they think about it now they'll soon be attracting patronage by presenting the old-time bewildering array of foods.



REGIMENTAL MASCOT—Prize, gift of a British unit to the Irish Regiment of Canada and regimental mascot, is seen in the drum in which Capt. Harry Barrowman, with him here, smuggled him home.

Plumbing The Depths

Swiss Professor Plans To Go Down Over Two Miles Below Surface Of The Sea

Professor August Piccard, the Swiss physicist who in 1931 ascended 10 miles (31,700 feet) into the stratosphere in the airship gondola of a balloon, is preparing to go down 2½ miles below the surface of the sea, deeper than any man has yet plunged. According to reports from Switzerland, he has designed a round-bottom submarine, with steel walls eight inches thick, equipped to light off underwater cameras that may bring in the absolute blackness of the Atlantic bottom, 12,000 feet down.

All the professor needs now, according to these reports, is a little more equipment, some financing, about \$1,600 more, and an assistant. He is said to be leaving soon for Britain and the U.S. in search of all three.

The greatest problem lay in getting the submarine up and down without steel cables from a parent ship which would snap under the terrific pressure, 70,000 pounds per square foot. To get the vessel down, Piccard will use steel balls held to the cabin's outer sides by electromagnets. Seven concrete tanks, sitting on the roof and containing in all 20 cubic feet of gas, will be lighter than water, will bring the vessel back to the surface.

On the electrically-driven propellers Piccard can be turned in all directions will move the submarine along the ocean bed at a maximum speed of ten miles an hour. Sea monsters which might attack the sphere will be driven off by electric discharges through the submarine's shell.

On the bottom, a 350-watt lamp will flood a small area in front of the sphere. An automatic camera will record the scene from one tiny window while Professor Piccard and his assistant at two other windows describe everything they see into dictaphones. A system has been evolved that will not allow the submarine to drift, therefore stay below any length of time.

Since the submarine would be cut off completely from the parent ship, no direct or radio communication is possible. To avoid surfacing during a storm or at such a distance from the parent ship as to lose her, an automatic rocket system, controlled from within the cabin, has been fitted above the gasoline chambers. The rocket can be fired from under water.

Every part of the vessel has been tested to withstand 12,000 pounds of pressure per square inch—"leaving a comfortable margin of safety," Professor Piccard comments dryly. The post of assistant is still open. There is one absolute requirement for the job. He must not smoke. Professor Piccard declines to comment.

A GOOD OMEN

When the Royal Chapel at Buckingham Palace, London, was bombed, some beautiful and valuable things were destroyed. But among the treasures which escaped was the King's family Bible, on the flyleaves of which are recorded the royal birth marriages and deaths for several generations. The secretary who found the Bible among the ruins wrote to a friend saying: "We took it as an omen of what is going to survive when this war is finally over."

The London Daily Herald said today that Sir Stafford Cripps, President of the Board of Trade, has arranged for importation from Canada of 50,000 pairs of rubber-soled sneakers.

Testing New Seed Varieties Under Ordinary Farm Usage After The Seed Shows Promise

ONE of the problems confronting the plant breeder is to find out the actual worth of a new variety when grown under ordinary farm conditions, after such variety has shown promise in small plots at an Experimental Farm. The practice of testing new promising varieties under different soil and climatic conditions to determine their adaptability is widely accepted, but to carry on such tests successfully requires the co-operation of interested farmers. Says R. A. Derrick, Central Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa:

Not Inland People

During War Canadians Became More Aware Of The Sea

Canadian war-time participation in the naval war against the enemy will have an enduring result of much importance: it will make the Canadian people as a whole more deeply conscious of the sea, and the relation of a free sea to a free world. The attention to all parts of the country of the naval war, the interest in Canada's navy, should bring to inland communities the awareness that they are part of a maritime nation. It is interesting at this time to recall that Thomas D'Arcy McGee, in seeking to unite the inland colonies of British North America with the maritime colonies, pointed out that this union would make all British North America a maritime nation, in a speech in 1861 there is this striking passage:

"I rejoice, moreover, that we men of inland origin are about to recover one of our lost senses, the sense that comprehends that this sea is not now about to subside into the character so foreign to all our activities, that this sea is not now about to subside into the character so foreign to all our activities. The union of the provinces is to us the ocean, takes us back to the Atlantic and launches us once more on the modern sea, the Western World."

It may be confidently expected that the sense of maritime dependence of the sea has been more deeply interwoven into the Canadian people by the wartime effort that raised them to the position of a maritime power in the world—Montreal Gazette.

Astral Study

New Search In The Field Of Astronomy

The Southwestern Institution report that the various research has produced a strong evidence that there are planet-like bodies in the heavens distinct from the known planets.

Dr. A. W. Dugan, of the University, Ontario, described the discovery in a section of the Southwestern Annual Report.

At its inception, the search for positive conclusions about planet-like bodies associated with stars other than our sun. Douglas wrote: "This may represent the beginning of a new search and a new certainty in the field of astronomy. . . . already several astronomers on two continents are studying the implications."

Douglas outlined a theory developed by the scientists Chandra and others in the study of how the atomic structure of the universe was formed. The theory was that all matter of the known universe was once concentrated in a tiny area about the size of the solar system, with the sun as a centre. Expansion must have taken place millions of years ago, according to the theory.

Atomic Plants

New Techniques Have Now Made Them Practically Obsolete

Dr. John R. Dunning of Columbia University, one of the scientists who helped develop the atomic bomb, said that new techniques already have made "technically obsolete" the extensive plants used in the atomic bomb project at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Dr. Dunning made at the Winter session of the American Association of Electrical Engineers.

Discussing the costs of producing atomic energy, he said that "in the future the cost of producing atomic fuels may come by burning 1-25 in a fission chain reaction to those from U-235 a form of uranium more than 100 times more plentiful than the other atomic fuel-plutonium."

"This technique and others developed by atomic research have already made the extensive plants at Oak Ridge technically obsolete," Dr. Dunning said.

Mr. Gen. Leslie R. Groves, director of the atomic bomb project, speaking at the evening session, said that "today our equipment has very little salvage value."

A REAL BREAK

Three men have given men a real break in a history line at Marlboro, Mass. When the mice escaped from a box being unloaded by a truck, the women screamed and the men made of brave stuff just moved up to the head of the queue.

Chinchilla, perhaps the most expensive of all furs, is not very durable.

Very Common Fault

Chairmen Usually Take Too Long To Introduce Guest Speaker

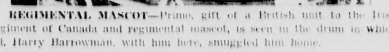
In fifty words and as many seconds, H. P. Hill introduced General MacArthur before the Canadian Club at Ottawa last week and it is pleasing to note for others to read that the Ottawa Journal had a more commendatory note about that kind of chairmanship. That latter remarks:

"Too many chairmen talk too long, and too positively, labor under the delusion that the audience has come to hear them and not the speaker. There is a common-sense rule of thumb: never do take the trouble to find out what the speaker is or what his subject. Listening to some of them sometimes is as good as a headache."

One man who turned up at a Glasgow police station at this office in the morning, and who was told by a sergeant and a constable that he was a constable, said: "You have come to the wrong place, sir, over across the street is a police station."

There can be remembered even in this city of fairly good taste, how public speakers and visitors of note have been introduced in a Niagara of bilge, while the audience waited politely to hear what they came to hear, the speaker of the evening. The reporters do this sort of thing just one line, or sentence, is accorded the offender, St. Catharines Standard.

A purple cauliflower is grown in Sicily.



REGIMENTAL MASCOT—Prize, gift of a British unit to the Irish Regiment of Canada and regimental mascot, is seen in the drum in which Capt. Harry Barrowman, with him here, smuggled him home.

NEAPOLIS CO-OP DAIRY ASS'N LISTED AMONG WINNERS

Neapolis Co-operative Dairy Association Ltd., operating a cheese factory ten miles east of Didsbury, has again been listed among the Alberta cheese factories winning awards at the recent Alberta Dairy-men's convention at Edmonton.

Neapolis Co-Op won 5th award in the First Grade competition with cheese from Dec. 1, 1944 to Dec. 1, 1945.

Neapolis Co-Op also was among the cheese factories winning the Class B Certificate of Merit.

RECORD PRICE PAID FOR SHORTHORN BULL

Perth, Scotland—A Shorthorn bull—Supreme Champion Pittodri Upright—brought a world record price of \$61,335 for any breed of cattle recently when he was sold to Ralph L. Smith of Snyder, Mo.

Citizen's Improvement Ass'n Wanted a Modern Town

For many years Didsbury, while a prosperous town, did not advance with the times, and remained stagnant as far as building and business was concerned. However, conditions in general were becoming staid and about the time that World War II started there was a growing demand among the business men and residents in general for more modern facilities. Didsbury was beginning to expand, but there was nothing being done to encourage people to build modern homes and settle down to spend the rest of their days here. It was always the same story—a citizen would sell his business, or his farm and retire to ease and comfort. He could get the "ease" in Didsbury, but not the comfort, so away he went with his family to Calgary, or to the coast, so that he could enjoy his leisure years with the more modern conveniences.

Then there were others who had visions of better sanitary conditions and a little more of the comforts of this world while still on the job, and they decided to do something about it. The war had been in progress for four years and it was hoped that it would soon be over. Our young men and women would soon be coming home and if the franchises of the last war were avoided, every community would be expected to take a part in providing some means of employment, in order to have work for all who wanted it.

With this in mind the business men of Didsbury set to work and formed a Local Improvement Association to see what could be done in Didsbury. Tom Morris was the president. Dr. J. L. Clarke, vice-president and Ed Ford, secretary, together with a strong executive. This Association held two meetings in the summer of 1943 and decided on a plan of action which was put their plans before the Council of the Town of Didsbury.

The outcome was that the Council was informed that a large delegation would interview them at the next council meeting. Arrangements were made to hold this meeting in the Lecture Hall on September 7th, 1943. Thirty-eight members of the Local Improvement Association met the council to place their demands before the proper authorities.

Dr. Clarke was spokesman and explained to the Council that the delegation did not come in criticism but they wanted the Council to know that they were trying to improve the Town of Didsbury. He pointed out the necessity of providing for the returning men and women, who were making great sacrifices for us all in return for their sacrifices the people in town should make provision for work in post-war years and at the same time improve the community as a place for them to live in. He then went on to quote the condition of our streets and what might be done. He stated that a new hospital was desired and that the town should have a Water and Sewerage Scheme as a place of recreation for the young people.

At the time the Union of Alberta Municipalities (of which W.A. Austin was president) together with the Dominion and Provincial Reconstruction Committees, was preparing a questionnaire to be submitted to all towns and municipalities, to find out what could be done in the province and dominion in the way of rehabilitation. Mr. Austin was asked at this meeting of the council to give a resume of the work done, and he explained briefly that a questionnaire had been prepared and a copy submitted to council.

Mayor C. E. Reiber then stated that the delegation was very welcome, but it must be understood that improvements to the town had to be paid for and that it would be necessary for the Local Improvement Association to enthrone a ratepayers, who in the last instance voted on money by-laws. He informed the delegation that their duty was not done, but that they should continue with their work and stand behind the Council in any of the schemes which they proposed, advising them that they might be assured of the Council's support at all times.

While much of the above does not appear at first to bear directly on the establishing of water and sewage in Didsbury, the information was taken from the minutes of the council meeting on Sept. 7, 1943, to show just where the start on the scheme was made.

On October 4, 1943, Dr. Clarke appeared before the Council on behalf of the Local Improvement Association and advised Council that municipal work was being done towards the establishment of a municipal hospital. (This hospital has since been built and is in operation.) Council discussed completion of the Reconstruction Committee's questionnaire submitted at the previous meeting, and it was decided to include in the Town's contribution to Rehabilitation and Construction, a water and sewage system, an expenditure of \$10,000 more or less for roads, and \$2500 more or less for sidewalks. The Town's pro-

jects, of course, were assuming that the Dominion Government would make available the money at a low rate of interest, and subject to the consent of the proprietary electors. Council decided at this October meeting to have a survey made by a competent engineer, with reference to roads and water and sewage, and the secretary was instructed to make the necessary arrangements.

Two weeks later Haddin & Miles, consulting engineers of Calgary, were approached, and they consented to make a survey of the Town of Didsbury for water works. During the summer of 1944 this survey was made and a feasible plan was later drawn up by the engineers, together with estimated cost, and on December 4, 1944, this plan was submitted to the Council and approved by them.

Water and Sewerage was now a possibility in Didsbury, but the proprietary electors had to make the decision.

The Council of the Town of Didsbury, which consisted in the years of 1944 and 1945 of Mayor C. E. Reiber, and Councillors A.E. Ford, H.M. Bowman, H. Lynch-Staunton, Ed Watkins, Jas. Calhoun and Geo. Parsons, have constantly worked for the water and sewage system and after all preparations had been completed the date to vote on the plan was set for January 21, 1946. However some delay was experienced and the voting day was changed to March 11th.

On the evening of March 10th, 1946, the voters have been prepared and published so that all may know what they are voting for. Local organizations are now preparing publicity material to aid in convincing the citizens of Didsbury that the town must have this public utility, and constantly worked for it is to maintain its position as the centre of a large and prosperous district.

NOTES FROM THE EAST

The Lone Pine hall board is holding their annual board meeting on February 25th. Everybody come, if you are interested in your community.

The Lone Pine W.I. met at the home of Fred Metz on Thursday last with a large attendance of members and visitors. The meeting opened by singing The Maple Leaf Forever. Mrs. Pete Schumaker was elected as the new secretary. Mrs. Coates and Mrs. J. Clarke were elected as the delegates to go to the convention at Red Deer in March. Mrs. A. Hogg was elected convener, and Mrs. A. Krebs visited the Lone Pine W.I. on this occasion. Mrs. Hogg was the coming convention and the future work for aiding the British housewives.

Mrs. Pete Schumaker had a paper on Citizenship in the form of a questionnaire, which was enjoyed immensely. Mrs. A. Hogg taking the honors. Mrs. John Davis won the tenth draw.

The hostess, Mrs. Dowell, sponsored a contest on "Anniversaries". Mrs. A. Hogg and Mrs. Krebs won the honors in this contest. Most of the ladies being married all these years have not celebrated their anniversaries. If you ladies want to see how "smart" you are, put on a real tough contest and invite Mrs. A. Hogg to your W.I.

A very bounteous lunch was served by Mrs. Dowell, Evelyn and the teacher. Next morning will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter McCulloch.

Friday afternoon the Jutland school pupils and teacher, Mrs. Krause, gave a Valentine party and entertainment for the mothers. The children put on a very nice program, and very enjoyable for the occasion. Then Mrs. Krause submitted a questionnaire to the mothers, which proved to be a sticker. Jessie McCulloch won first prize and Mrs. Bittner second. The pupils then assisted Mrs. Krause in serving a lovely Valentine lunch, and the mothers spent an enjoyable afternoon with the children and Mrs. Krause.

Mrs. Joe Clark entertained on Friday at a social evening, honoring Mrs. and Mrs. Otto Bittner and Mrs. and Mrs. Walter McCulloch. Miss Charlie Woods spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Lynn Hunsberger.

Kenneth Shultz, manager of the Neapolis Co-Op Cheese Factory, attended the Macdonald Hotel Convention at the Macdonald Hotel, Edmonton, last week. He won his cheese makers certificate of merit and a cash prize for 98.2% of No. 1 cheese during the year. He also took 4th prize in rating judging, winning a cash prize. Ken says there was a large turn out and the convention was quite interesting and educational.

Tantalite, the rare and precious ore of the metal tantalum which was in great demand during the war, has been found in considerable quantities in Canada's Northwest Territories. This is one more rare metal to Canada's list.

WEDDINGS

CARTER-PRATT

Palms, ferns and spring flowers made a beautiful setting for the evening ceremony Thursday, Feb. 14, at the Pro Cathedral of the Redeemer, when the Very Reverend Frank H. Smye, Dean of Calgary, united in marriage Edith Louise, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. R. Pratt, and George Carter, youngest son of Mrs. G.H. Willison and the late Mr. Carter.

Miss Daley Bishop played the wedding music, and softly during the service.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore white bridal satin featuring a his-length back closing with diminutive self-covered buttons. The fitted bodice was fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and little point sleeves. The skirt was slim fitting with satin and lace on panier effect. Her embroidered net veil, held by a heart-shaped net halo and orange blossoms, was floor-length. She wore her mother's wedding necklace of pearls and pearls and carried red roses and white freesia with long satin streamers.

Mrs. L. Roy Gale, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, wearing pink lace and net with a blue lace pill box hat, and carried Japanese blue iris.

Miss Marjorie Burns as bridesmaid wore blue sheer with a pink lace pill box hat and carried pink carnations.

Mr. Robert Weir attended the groom, and the ushers were Mr. L. Roy Gale, and Mr. J.T. Cottrell.

During the signing of the register Miss Mildred Ross sang "O Perfect Love".

Following the ceremony the reception was held at the Empress Grill for 60 guests. The bride's table was centered by a three-tiered wedding cake flanked by ivory tapers. Mr. G.H. Willison proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom fittingly responded.

The bride's mother chose a corsage of pink treble roses with a corsage of pink treble roses for her daughter's wedding, and Mrs. Willison wore a black ermine dress with a corsage of talisman roses.

The groom's gift to the bride was a ruby set gold ring, and the bride's gift to the groom was a sapphire and diamond set pin.

For her wedding trip to Banff.

BURNSIDE NEWS NOTES

Henry Hooper is back in the district again visiting from Esquimalt, B.C. On his way he visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gooder at Victoria. Henry has sold his property in Esquimalt and is arranging for a passport to visit his old home in Devonshire, England, in the early summer. By a coincidence he unexpectedly met his son Jim, just returned from overseas, when he (Henry) dropped into the "Bright Spot" in Didsbury on Saturday evening to get a cup of coffee.

Among those attending the Dairy Convention was Kenneth Shultz, manager, Neapolis Cheese Factory. He says he had a wonderful time. We hear that he was successful in winning a Certificate of merit and other prizes. Congratulations.

Jennet Worrell also attended the convention. She represented the calf club.

Every district from East of Sunnyside to Didsbury and Calgary districts were well represented at the last "rites" given for Enoch Dawson, late manager of Neapolis Co-Op Dairy.

Among the number of sales to take place soon in this neck of the woods is Ed Llesemore, in March; Merrill Barnes, March 2nd, and J. Baulton as mentioned last week.

Merrill Barnes, having sold his land, is going to Saskatchewan to visit his wife's folks before leaving for Yakima, Wash.

It is reported that a soldier settler and family are now on the old Jim Siddon farm. We welcome them to the district and hope they have the best of luck, etc.

Marie Persinger is going to spend the summer with Jim McCulloch and family.

Being hauled out of the ditches is quite the rule rather than the exception these days. Tractors hauling out cars, and trucks hauling out tractors, and vice versa.

Ralph Long spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. McCulloch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd of Sunnyside were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clarke.

The bride donned a blue afternoon dress with dark brocade accessories and a top coat of dark brown muskrat, and wore a corsage of pink roses and violets. Upon their return the happy couple will reside at 314, 8th Ave. N.W., Calgary.

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COTTON SLUB DRESSES—A good quality dress for afternoon wear. Sizes 38 to 44. **4.95**

MONARCH KNITTING YARNS—For that new knitted garment see the new Monarch Suedway. A two-ply yarn. 2-oz. skeins, each **35c**

RAYON HOSIERY—Good quality Rayon Hose, new shades. Per pair **39c - 59c**

CHILDREN'S PLAYALLS—Plain Denim **1.00**
Striped Denim **1.25**
Good Quality Corduroy **2.25**
For the bigger boy we have a complete stock of blue denim overalls, just like dad's—Priced at **1.25 - 1.50 - 1.65**

SUIT CASES—Striped Fibre cases, reinforced with wood. 12" **1.95 - 14" 2.25 - 16" 2.50**

CREPE DRESSES—Arriving Daily are the new Spring Dresses of better quality—Priced from **4.95 to 9.95**

BACK ON THE MARKET—Just arrived, **LECKIES' HIGH CUT WORK BOOTS**, oil tan leather. When you want real quality and fit insist on Leckies Hi-Cuts—16" **10.95 - 12" 10.00 - 9" 7.95**

SOLID LEATHER WORK BOOTS—More miles for your dollar in a pair of Valentine & Leckie Boots. A leather to suit all feet, Retan, Oiltan, Soft Elk. For better quality and satisfaction insist on Berscht's Boots. Every pair guaranteed. Per pair, from **3.95 to 6.50**

BOYS' SOLID LEATHER BOOTS.—Just like Dad's. Plain toe and with toe cap. **2.95 to 4.50**

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Peace-time employment is being found for the mine-detector by using it to locate niles in salvaged timber before it goes to the sawmill.

A bright blue stamp issued in Canada in 1885 was sold for \$270 (\$1,315) at Harrods, Bond Street, London. The stamp was originally priced at tenpence.

The skeleton of a giant, with a skull thirty-three inches around and a shinbone thirty-three inches long, has been found in the Tien Mountains of Soviet Central Asia, north of Himalayas.

Reduction in the maximum speed of vehicles from 30 to 20 miles per hour for an experimental period of two months was approved by the accident prevention council at Edinburgh.

Stuart Hilbert, chief announcer, has celebrated his 21st anniversary with the BBC. In that time he has broadcast more than 10,000 times and says he is still "a little nervous of the microphone."

Development of a jet-propelled buzz bomb which could be used aboard landing craft and of a twin-engine military fighter with a range of 2,500 miles has been announced by two aircraft firms at Los Angeles.

The Vancouver Province in a newspaper story, said that Vancouver's airport will be used soon after the start of 1946 to train Trans-Canada Airlines pilots and crews to fly giant passenger planes over the Pacific.

A committee to watch developments in the utilization of atomic energy for industrial and domestic purposes has been appointed by the International Executive Council of the World Power Conference, it was announced in London.

Ven. Archbishop Richard Parris, who has spent 52 years in mission work among the Indians and Eskimos, is spending his furlough in Toronto preparing a hymnal in the Cree language. The book will include 200 to 300 hymns.

Food For Britain

Will Be Necessary For Canada To Send All She Can

One of the advisers to the Canadian delegation at the recent meeting of the International Labor Organization in Paris, Mr. Bert Snow, returns to Canada after seeing for himself conditions in the United Kingdom and in France. "Send all the food you can to the people in the Old Country," he says.

That is just what the government of Canada hopes to do, certainly as far as meat is concerned. Mr. Snow emphasized in the statement made in the House following the news that the United States has discontinued the rationing of meat. "Canadians surely will uphold the determination to send all possible of one of the most needed foods in Europe, of which Great Britain is in part. If it means that most rationing is retained in Canada, there will be no objection from the vast majority of consumers."

The present ration of meat, sugar and butter is coming to be recognized as giving ample sustenance to a people that had to suffer no real lack during the past six years of war. Whatever the United States may feel impelled to do in the distribution of its own available food supplies, rationing in Canada helps to promote the recognition of Canada's obligations abroad. It is also a guarantee of fair distribution of available supplies to the consumer at home. Ottawa Citizen.

Research Station

England Has Most Up-To-Date Equipment For Atomic Energy In The World

The machinery and equipment to be installed at the British Experimental Station for atomic energy at Daresbury, England, will be the most up-to-date in the world, reports the London Daily Telegraph. The paper states that although the United States have a production plant it is understood that they have no experimental station carrying out research in lines comparable with those in England. It is hoped that Britain will maintain world leadership in scientific research on atomic energy. United Kingdom scientists played a preponderant part in the years of research which culminated in the production of the atomic bomb. Daresbury will not be a production plant but a government research establishment. St. Thomas Times-Journal.

LEGEND OF SILK

Next to wool, silk is the most important of animal products used in weaving. In all probability it was in China that attention was first drawn to the rearing of silkworms and the manufacture of silk. Chinese history or legend attributes to Si-ling-shi the honor of having discovered the art of spinning and weaving silk. She lived about 2700 B.C. and for her discovery she was revered as a saint.

One-fifth of the whole human race lives in India.

WEEKLY RATION FASHION
for a twosome

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.	FRI.	SAT.
Meat Ring	Lamb Chops	Eggs a la King	Veal Cutlets	Steak and Kidney or Bacon Pie	Fish	Sausages
Group C 3 1/2 lb. 3 tokens	Group C 1 1/2 lb. 2 tokens	unrationed	Group B 1 1/2 lb. 3 tokens	Group B 6 oz. 2 tokens	unrationed	Group D 1 lb. 3 tokens

3 tokens for lunch problems or next week's roast.

Meat planning need not be fog-bounded by exact rationing. Within the bounds of a twosome's weekly ration there is much scope for gastronomic enjoyment and satisfaction. In planning the purchases it is best to plan to translate the ration in terms of tokens, eight of which are equivalent to the coupon value of each person's weekly ration. For available each person weekly. With hospitality a weekend key-note, an extender dish is suggested as a ration economy for Sunday's dinner. A meat loaf can be tastefully made from 3 lb. ham, burger with added egg, bread crumbs and suitable seasonings. To give this old friend a new guise, bake it in a round mold, turn out on serving platter and vegetable-fill the centre. Lamb chops make delectable eating for two tokens on Monday. And a third of thirteen tokens as the basis for Tuesday's protein dish. Hard cooked eggs combined with fresh mushrooms, now market-plentiful, and a good cream sauce, and served on a mound of hot noodles is indeed a regal dish which only needs to be rounded out with a green or yellow vegetable for eye appeal and nutritive satisfaction. Wednesday's veal cutlets will bring you to the middle of the week with half your ration still intact. For Thursday two tokens worth of round steak supplemented with unrationed kidney will provide the makings for a steak and kidney pie. And for a top with taste, add some celery sauce to the pastry or bacon dough. Friday is an opportunity day for fish to appear on the bill of fare. Three tokens are ration currency for one pound of sausage, a double duty purchase which will provide Saturday's dinner and glorify Sunday's breakfast. The week's expenditure of thirteen tokens will leave you with three as a contribution to luncheon problems or next week's small roast.

May Lose Its Fame

Scholar Thinks Gray's Elegy Was Not Written At Stoke Poges

Stoke Poges has had it. Until now everybody "knew" that Gray wrote his "Elegy in a Country Churchyard" in that Buckinghamshire village.

For generations students of English literature have been taught that it is the pretty churchyard at Stoke Poges that is immortalized in the Elegy and the poet himself is buried there.

Now, 17-year-old John Langford Lewis, of Merchant Taylors school at Slough, Bucks, has "discovered" after research at Upton, near Slough, that it was there Gray wrote the "curfew toll the bell of parting day." And his father, Harold Langford Lewis, a Lincoln Inn barrister, says there are three good reasons for believing that Gray wrote the elegy at Upton.

"There is no ivy mantled tower, as it is the pretty churchyard at Stoke Poges, has been heard from there. Upton is a mile distant."

Gray mentions the "rude forefathers of the blattant hamlet." Stoke was a village. Upton, though now absorbed into industrial Slough, was at one time a small hamlet, said Mr. Lewis.

Spokesman for Stoke Poges, the executor's wife, says: "This is all nonsense. There was an ivy mantled tower. It was pulled down about 80 or 90 years ago, with the spire, because it was unsafe."

As for the curfew, she thinks Gray could have heard the bells if he'd listened hard enough."

Farthest North

Newspaper Printed In Norway Above The Arctic Circle

Far above the Arctic Circle in the welter of charred rubble which was once the Norwegian village of Vads stands an insignificant hut. This is the editorial offices, printing plant, and circulation department of the world's northernmost newspaper, the "Finnmarken". The editor explains that this is not only the most northerly newspaper plant in the world, but also Norway's smallest. He is careful to point out, however, that the 3,000 copies which are turned out each week are among the world's best read news-sheets. The war in Northern Norway together with the complete destruction left that vast area without a single newspaper. Now that plant and material have been obtained from Sweden and England, boats touching at Vads are careful to carry enough paper for the news-hungry residents of Norway's Arctic coast. — Norwegian Information Service.

A FRIENDLY HINT

In a spirit of friendly sarcasm, a Fleet street publican hung this notice over the bar: "The landlord takes no responsibility whatsoever for injuries sustained by customers in their rush to leave these premises at closing time."

Terrible Threat

Bacteriological Warfare Is A Greater Menace To Mankind Than The Atomic Bomb

A new and terrible threat to the safety of mankind—surpassing even the atomic bomb as a danger—was reliably understood to lie behind the urgent desire of the United States, Britain and Canada to internationalize all scientific knowledge which might be used in warfare. The horror, described as more destructive and terrifying than the atomic bomb, is bacteriological warfare which reliable sources say has been developed to the point where it could play a major part in any new conflict.

It has been known to allied scientists that for the last 18 months or two years the development of the new weapon had been going on in "secret weapons" which soon will be ready for mass use.

It is not known what specific country is responsible for the development of the new weapon but State Secretary Byrnes hinted openly at its terrible threat in a broadcast.

He declared: "There will be no protection against bacteriological warfare, even a more frightful method of human destruction than the atomic bomb."

His statement—coming from so responsible and informed a source—is of the utmost gravity, in light of the fact that Mr. Byrnes took part in the recent Anglo-American-Canadian atomic bomb and scientific warfare talks in Washington.

Scientific Fashions

Men On Northern Expedition Are Wearing Latest Winter Clothing

Latest scientific fashions in winter clothing are being worn by the men participating in the Canadian-Army's "Operation Muskox" as they travel across Canada's northland in their six-day, 2,000-mile trek.

One of the principal pieces of clothing that will be worn is the "string vest", a net material designed for body heat control. It was devised by the Norwegians and permits circulation of body heat.

Other clothing includes flannel shirts, moisture-proof battle-dress, parkas, ski caps, woollen "three-warmer" over khaki underwear and duffel inner boots. Hand protectors of three different types will be issued, one of which is inner gloves that have been treated in a rubber compound to enable personnel to handle fine instruments in the cold.

IS WELL-NAMED

Residents of Southeast, England, have a name for a burglar operating in their area who enters houses through open windows and specializes in emptying trousers pockets while the owners sleep. They call him "hose-pickers."

ALL SHOULD SERVE

All Canadian men of military age should be required to serve a training period in one of the dominions' three services, Hon. Colin Gibson, minister of national defence for air, said at a press conference in Halifax.

Alfalfa is probably a Spanish version of the Arabian word alfafach, which means the best sort of fodder.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"It's the music you want, Mum, I'll give you a nickel only my allowance and you can go down to the corner and put it in the juke box."

REG'LAR FELLERS—Ready Money



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NEWEST U.S. PLANE

This North American aircraft, the P-52, is the first twin fuselage aircraft built in the U.S. It is a combination fighter, bomber, fighter-reconnaissance and night fighter and carries two pilots to reduce the problem of pilot fatigue to a minimum.

Women's Rights

Everything Is Unimpaired Excepting Work In The Home

The Brantford Examiner publishes this rather detailed view contained in a letter to The Editor of a weekly Ontario newspaper.

"Did it ever occur to you men who are doing so much cheering about working a few hours what poor, helpless fools you would be if the housewives laid down their brooms and their dishrags and went on strike for a forty-hour week? ... You men, who are so crazy about unions, why not bring the union into your own homes? You take one shift, the wife another, and the kids take the third. Sounds silly, doesn't it? If you haven't any kids bring in a girl or another woman to take the extra shift. This will take up all the slack in female unemployment. Be sure you men union wages. After all, everything seems to be unionized, standardized or controlled, excepting housewives and their babies. Women, you've got the franchise. Why don't you go out while the put is boiling and get a housewife union with standard hours and pay and vacations each year, according to service?"

In the question of women's rights contained in the foregoing, The Brantford paper cannot find a flaw in the logic and remarks that what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

As for the drudgery of the home life for so many women, there is also the farmer class, including both men and women, who cannot standardize their hours or shorten their week.

Is there a pretty big question opened up by that protest in the weekly paper? St. Catharines Standard.

EXPERT THROWERS

Australian beachmen have been known to throw a boomerang as far as 100 yards before it began its leftward curve. The boomerang sometimes rises as high as 100 feet and may circle five times before returning to the thrower.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER. On the beach, since it is a sea creature similar to a star fish.

BY GENE BYRNES



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Editorial

OUR YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN FOUGHT FOR US; WE CAN GIVE THEM SOMETHING IN RETURN

While it is generally admitted that a water and sewage system is one of the greatest achievements that can be advanced by the citizens of Didsbury, it is also recognized as the most important public utility a town can have in an endeavor to restrict the spread of disease and contamination of our present water supply.

If the town does not get water and sewage in the next couple of years it will only mean that a number of private systems will be installed. But each installation will add to the contamination of soil which in time will pollute our water supply to such an extent that water wells will be condemned by the Department of Public Health, and Didsbury will be just another town without a proper water supply of any kind.

Water and sewage will provide our schools and public places with modern facilities, thus eliminating the present condition in school toilets and unsanitary conditions in general.

The cost of a system cannot be entirely measured in dollars and cents, but costs always seem to be the first consideration of some people. If they are, then local citizens will be interested to learn that while the By-Laws provide for sufficient funds from revenue to pay all operating costs as well as principal and interest payments, they also provide for a higher rate of interest than the money will eventually be obtained. Should funds be available at even four per cent the reduction in interest payments alone will be 20 per cent.

But that is not all. The installation of sewerage will greatly decrease the costs of town scavenging, which is already becoming a problem. Lower fire insurance rates can be expected with first class hydrant service; and taxes can eventually be lowered by the increased town assessment brought about by many new buildings, which will be erected by future residents who desire to live in a modern, sanitary town.

And, if for no other reason, we owe it to our returning boys and girls of the armed forces to do our part in supplying employment by undertaking the construction of a modern water and sewage plant, and thus also give them modern home facilities and some of the comforts of life, after the hardship and deprivation they endured while on the battle fields of Europe.

A COMPOSITE HIGH SCHOOL IN DIDSBURY

Plans of the Department of Education call for the establishing of composite high schools in a number of towns in Alberta and Didsbury is listed among the favored areas for such an institution. The plan was advanced to such an extent last year that the Town reserved land east of the track for such an institution.

The School Division, however, will not establish its composite high schools in towns that do not have modern sewer and water facilities.

If such a composite high school is to be established in the Olds School Division, we want this high school in Didsbury. But we won't get it unless we have modern improvements.

Just another reason why it is necessary for everyone to vote for the water and sewage by-laws on March 11th

FINDS NEW USES FOR MINELOCATORS

It will be used to locate nails in wood planks before the wood goes to the saw-mills, and the presence of metal wires and pipes in walls and floors can be easily determined. Police and Customs officials are using the locator with great success in their search for hidden metal articles, such as gold coins, which might be smuggled into useful peace-time service.

SEWERAGE SCHEDULE

1. 12" Outfall Sewer from Disposal Site along Princess Street to Vina Avenue, 8 to 12 feet deep	\$ 5,655
2. 12" Outfall Sewer on Vina Avenue, Princess to Hespeler, 9 feet deep	1,355
3. 12" Outfall Sewer on Hespeler Street, 9 to 18 feet deep	5,075
4. 10" Intersecting Sewer in West Railway St., Hespeler to Lissmer, 9 to 12 feet deep	1,820
5. 10" Intersecting Sewer in W. Railway St., Hespeler to Hammond, 16 to 18 feet deep	2,955
6. 10" Intersecting Sewer in Hammond St., 6 to 16 ft. deep	2,975
7. 10" Intersecting Sewer in West Road Allowance, Hammond to Waterloo, 8 feet deep	2,180
8. 8" Branch Sewers in Odeur Street, 8 to 10 feet deep	1,940
9. 8" Branch Sewers in Hespeler Street, 8 to 12 feet deep	1,880
10. 8" Branch Sewers in Berlin Street, 8 to 10 feet deep	1,880
11. 8" Branch Sewers in Waterloo Street, 8 to 10 feet deep	1,885
12. 8" Branch Sewers in Lissmer and Road Allowance—8 to 10 feet deep	2,345
13. 8" Branch Sewers in Hiebert Street and West Railway Street, 9 to 11 feet deep	2,530
14. 60 Service Connections	1,500
15. Sewage Disposal Works	15,000
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST OF SEWERAGE	\$50,345

NOTE—The foregoing figures include an allowance of 10% to cover contingencies, supervision and overhead

BY-LAW No. 504

WATER BY-LAW

A BY-LAW to authorize the Council of the Town of Didsbury to incur an indebtedness on behalf of the said Town of Didsbury in the sum of \$43,910.00 for the purpose of providing a Water Supply and Distribution System to the Town of Didsbury in the Province of Alberta.

AND WHEREAS in order to construct and complete the said work it will be necessary to borrow the said sum of \$43,910.00 on the credit of the said Town of Didsbury, the issuing of Debentures of the said Town of Didsbury as herein provided, the proceeds of said Debentures to be devoted exclusively to the purpose herebefore set forth, and WHEREAS such indebtedness is to be extended over a period of Thirty (30) years from the date of the issuing of said Debentures, subject to the provisions of the said By-Law as hereinafter set out, with interest at the rate of Five (5) per centum per annum in equal, aggregate, annual installments of principal and interest amounting to \$2,864.14, and WHEREAS the first day of November in each year during the currency thereof, and collectable at the rate of the said By-Law on the first day of November in any year after the first five years of the date of the issue of the said debentures, and

WHEREAS the whole rateable property of the said Town of Didsbury according to the latest Revised Assessment Roll is \$715,403.00, and

WHEREAS there is at this time no existing indebtedness of the said Town for Debenture purposes, and WHEREAS under a By-Law passed by the Council of the said Town of Didsbury on the 11th day of March, 1946, an amount of revenue of \$3,051.40 will be collected in water charges and an amount of \$1,500.00 will be collected in Frontage Tax under the same By-Law, a total of \$4,551.40 to meet the annual Debenture installment of \$2,864.14 and the estimated cost of operation and maintenance of \$1,547.25, and

WHEREAS the estimated life time of the proposed water scheme is Thirty (30) years, and

WHEREAS the proposed Water Scheme has been approved by the Provincial Board of Health under Provisional Certificate No. 321, and

WHEREAS said Water System is to be constructed on or beneath the Streets and Lanes of the Town of Didsbury,

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Town of Didsbury, in Council assembled, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Council of the Town of Didsbury is hereby empowered and authorized to enter into such contracts and engagements for the construction and carrying out of the work herebefore described, as may be necessary.

2. For the purpose aforesaid the sum of \$43,910.00 shall be borrowed upon the credit of the Town of Didsbury and for the purpose of borrowing the said sum of \$43,910.00 shall be issued in sums of not less than \$100.00 each, excepting one for \$100.00, each Debenture shall be secured at the rate of Five (5) per centum per annum and shall be repayable in Canadian currency at the Royal Bank of Canada in the Town of Didsbury; and the said sum shall be repayable in Thirty equal, aggregate, annual installments, amounting to \$2,864.14 each, such installments of principal and interest to be payable on the first day of November in each year and the first of such installments shall be payable on the first day of November in the year of issue, providing that interest only is to be paid in the first year of issue and the Debentures issue amortized as may be modified by the Council or as may be modified by the Council or as may be modified by the Council or as may be modified by the Council.

3. Such Debentures shall be signed by the Mayor and the Secretary-Treasurer of the said Town of Didsbury, and the Secretary-Treasurer shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the Town.

4. The said Debentures shall have attached thereto coupons for the installments of principal and interest, which coupons shall be signed by the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer.

5. All or any of the debentures shall be callable for redemption on the first day of November in any year following the payment of the 10th annual installment. Notice of intention to redeem any of such debentures shall be sent by post to the person, if any, in whose name the debenture is registered, at the address shown in the register at least thirty (30) days prior to the date set out for such redemption and such notice of intention to redeem shall also be given by advertisement once a week for two (2) consecutive weeks in the Calgary Herald and the Didsbury Pioneer.

6. Any sum required to be raised annually for the interest of any of the payment of principal and interest, namely \$2,864.14, after allowing for the estimated revenue of \$3,051.40 from the said service, shall be \$1,813.75 for the estimated cost of operation and maintenance annually, shall be raised by a rate to be levied as follows:

(a) The sum of approximately \$1500.00 per annum by a Frontage Tax of ten (10) cents per lineal foot per annum against any of the land abutting on that portion of the

street or place whereon or wherein any public water main is laid and in the same manner as other rates;

(b) The sum required to make up any deficit (if any) in the annual installment by a rate sufficient to maintain on all the rateable property in the Town and collectable at the same time and in the same manner as other rates.

8. This By-Law shall take effect on the date of the final passing thereof.

9. The votes of the burgesses duly qualified to vote shall be taken on Monday, the 11th day of March, A.D. 1946, at the Town of Didsbury in the Office of the said Town from the hour of Ten O'clock in the forenoon until the hour of seven O'clock in the afternoon on the same day.

10. F. L. EVANS, Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Didsbury, shall be the Returning Officer to enter and receive the said votes.

11. The Council of the Town of Didsbury on Monday, the 11th day of March, 1946, at the hour of Seven O'clock in the afternoon, sum up the votes for and against the By-Law and declare the result thereof.

READ A FIRST TIME and passed provisionally in Council this 12th day of February, 1946.

C. E. REIBER, Mayor
F. L. EVANS, Sec.-Treas.

BY-LAW No. 505

WATER RATES BY-LAW

A BY-LAW of the Town of Didsbury to provide Water Rates and Sewer Rates to be levied on the property of the Town of Didsbury.

WHEREAS it is estimated that the cost of operation and maintenance of the proposed water system, including the cost of operation and maintenance of \$1,547.25, and

WHEREAS the proposed Water Scheme would serve about 15,000 lineal feet of frontage available for the said Town of Didsbury, and

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be extended over a period of Thirty (30) years from date of the issuing of the said Debentures, subject to the provisions of the said By-Law as hereinafter set out, with interest at the rate of Five (5) per centum per annum in equal, aggregate installments, of principal and interest amounting to \$3,275.01 each, and payable on the first day of November in each year during the currency thereof, and collectable at the rate of the said By-Law on the first day of November in any year after the first five years of the date of the issue of the said debentures, and

WHEREAS the whole rateable property of the said Town of Didsbury according to the latest Revised Assessment Roll is \$715,403.00, and WHEREAS there is at this time no existing indebtedness of the said Town for Debenture purposes, and WHEREAS the proposed sewerage scheme would serve about 16,000 lineal feet of frontage available for the said Town of Didsbury, and

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est, namely \$3,275.01 after allowing for an estimated revenue of \$3,488.60 from the said service, less the revenue of the first year of operation and maintenance, annually, shall be raised by a rate to be levied as follows:

(a) The sum of approximately \$1,600.00 per annum by Special Frontage Tax of ten (10) cents per lineal foot per annum against any of the land abutting on the portion of any street or place whereon or wherein any public sewer is laid and in the same manner as other rates;

(b) The sum required to make up any deficit (if any) in the annual installment by a rate sufficient to maintain on all the rateable property in the Town and collectable at the same time and in the same manner as other rates.

7. The said indebtedness is contracted on the credit and security of the said Town of Didsbury at large.

8. This By-Law shall take effect on the date of the final passing thereof.

9. The votes of the Burgesses duly qualified to vote shall be taken on Monday, the 11th day of March, 1946, at the Town Office, Didsbury, Alberta, from the hour of Ten O'clock in the forenoon until the hour of seven O'clock in the afternoon on the same day.

10. F. L. EVANS, Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Didsbury, shall be the Returning Officer to enter and receive the said votes.

11. The Council of the Town of Didsbury on Monday, the 11th day of March, 1946, at the hour of Seven O'clock in the afternoon, sum up the votes for and against the By-Law and declare the results thereof.

READ A FIRST TIME and passed provisionally in Council this 12th day of February, 1946.

C. E. REIBER, Mayor
F. L. EVANS, Sec.-Treas.

BY-LAW No. 507

SEWER RATES BY-LAW

TOWN OF DIDSBURY

A BY-LAW of the Town of Didsbury to provide Sewer Rates and for the levying and collecting of same.

WHEREAS it is estimated that the cost of operating and maintenance of the proposed Sewer and Sewerage Disposal system will be about \$5020.88 per annum, which amount covered by the Debenture payment of \$3,258.23 together with cost of operation and maintenance of \$1,762.65, and

WHEREAS the probable revenue from the said system for each year would be about \$5098.60, and

WHEREAS the proposed sewerage scheme would serve about 16,000 lineal feet of frontage available for the said Town of Didsbury, and

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**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
ON THE PROPOSED
WATER AND SEWAGE PLAN**

QUESTION—My house and prop-
erty is located in a part of town
which will not be served by the
proposed water system. If I were
going to be able to use the system
I would be in favor of it, but I'm
going to vote against it because
it doesn't take in our part of town.
Why should I vote for it?

ANSWER—Regardless of whether
or not your property is included
in the present survey of the
water and sewage system, the real
value of all property in the town
will increase by virtue of the fact
that we will have a town that is
keeping pace with modern ways
of living.

A beginning must be made some-
where and it has been shown that
the cost of serving the whole town
at once would be prohibitive. In a
few years as the first area of installa-
tion becomes self-liquidating, the
service can be extended and no
vote will be necessary to do this. In
the meantime, the cost of the sys-
tem will be borne entirely by the
people in the area that is served.

The people of Olds have voted in
favor of the system. Imagine the
future of Didsbury if we reject
this opportunity to become a
modern town. We hear rumours of a
proposed large school to be built
somewhere in the division by the
Olds School Division. Didsbury is
in the centre of the Division but if
we reject the water system can you
imagine how the board would feel
about building in Didsbury? Is a
town with our primitive water and
sewage facilities the logical
place for the Health Unit if another
modern town is only a few miles
away?

These are only a few of the
things that we stand to lose if we
reject the water system. If we
accept it everybody gains no mat-
ter where you live in Didsbury. If
we fail we all lose; we lose not
only the water system but we lose
our present standing. It requires
effort even to stay in the same
place. If we don't go ahead and re-
ject it, we'll go back so fast that
property values in this town will
sink to the vanishing point.

QUESTION—In what particulars
is Didsbury exceptionally favoured
for installing water and sewage?

ANSWER—The estimated cost of
the completed system in Didsbury
is about \$94,000.00, while the es-
timated costs of both the Olds and
Innisfail systems are about double
this amount. Didsbury has:

1. Great advantages over these
two towns in as much as it has an
assured adequate water supply
within the town.

2. It is not necessary to carry the
sewage far from the town to dis-
pose of it. Olds has to carry its se-
wage out to the Olds Creek, about
three miles west of town.

3. Didsbury can utilize the batte-
ry for a pressure tank thus eliminat-
ing the cost of construction and op-
eration of an overhead storage
tank. The estimated cost of the res-
ervoir on the batte and the pipe-
line to it is about \$7,200, while
Olds estimates the cost of their ele-
vated steel tank at around \$35,000.
In addition the overhead tank must
be heated in winter and kept paint-
ed and repaired, while the proposed
reservoir in Didsbury on the batte
will be entirely underground and
will require no heating and very
little maintenance. Our total de-
biture debt will only be about
13% of our assessed value, while
Olds will be approximately 26%
of their assessed value. This should
attract the Town of Didsbury to
float their debentures at a very re-
asonable interest rate—much lower
than the 5% maximum allowed in
the by-laws.

WESTCOTT NEWS NOTES

Miss Emma Luft returned last
week after having had a holiday in
Calgary.

Quite a number from this district
took advantage of the good
weather and roads and attended the
carnival in Didsbury last Wednes-
day and were all very pleased to
hear that among those who actually
took part in the events, we had
some winners, namely the De-
ferde sisters, Jean, Eileen and
Ruby, and Miss Delores Holmquist.
Good going, girls!

The Government pupils invited
the Westcott pupils to the De-
ferde rink for a skating party last
Thursday evening. All reported
having a wonderful time as there
was a good crowd, good ice and
good eats.

Mrs. John Bagger of Westcott
has been confined to bed this past week
with illness. We wish her a speedy
recovery.

Word has been received from
Mrs. Linden Jacobsen who had
gone to Vancouver for a few weeks
to be with her mother, that the con-
dition of her mother-in-law, who was
badly burned in a gasoline explo-
sion, is still serious. We wish to ex-
press our sincere good wishes for
her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goeflen
and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Don-
ald Artmann and family, were din-
ing guests at the Jacobsen home
last Sunday evening.

NEWS FROM THE WEST

Quite a number of farmers west
of our borders of horses, even where
fenced into fields with great care.
The animals near the snow over-
then it freezes so hard they can't
move it again, so they just starve.
One man found four head dead, out
of 10, and the others in very poor
condition.

The Elton Willing Workers met
at the home of Mrs. D. Gillies Wed-
nesday last with 11 members present.
Two baby quilts were tied for the
Red Cross, sewing turned in and
some given out. The next meeting
will be at the home of Mrs. C. Byrt
Wednesday, March 13.

Please note that the whist drive
will be held at the C. Byrt home
on Wednesday, February 27.

Garfield was eliminated from the
play-off when they were defeated
by Don Pound in a sudden death
hockey game Tuesday evening. The
Garfield team were very short-
handed and suffered four men in-
jured, so were beaten 5-1, after hav-
ing a 1-0 lead up to the third per-
iod. Leonard Parker had the lovel-
iest black eye we ever saw when
hit by the puck, and Arnold Hogg
is going around with his thumb
taped up.

Don Pound lost the first game
in the finals played with Cremona
on Sunday. The score was 4-3.
Kenneth Mollin, who is saving
a couple of days visiting her daugh-
ters in Carstairs.

Best wishes to Mrs. Coetz of Cal-
gary, formerly Mrs. H. Schneid-
miller of Elton.

Mrs. O. Krebs, Mrs. Eckel and
Miss Zook accompanied Mrs. A.L.
Hogg to visit the Lone Pine W. I.
last Thursday.

One of the four whist drives,
sponsored by the A.F.U. was held
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O.
Thompson Monday evening. Eleven
tables were played with honors go-
ing to Mrs. Bushaw and W. Weld-
ner. Congratulations went to Mrs. J.
Hughes and D. Russell.

INVERNESS NOTES

Snow and four inches more snow
have blocked bush roads in places.
Kenneth Mollin, who is saving
at the Fallon Timber river expects
to finish his own logs and saw for
Lester Inman.

Louis Lund of Bergen is run-
ning the planer a mile and a half
west of Sundre. With three men
feeding the planer and three more
taking the lumber away and piling
it they are producing lumber very
fast and there are several trucks
hauling this lumber away.

An extra large crowd attended
the F.O.P. show and quiz con-
test at Sundre on Feb. 18. The show
was sponsored by J. McLeod of the
Sundre store and everyone enjoyed
a nice social evening. Pictures of
Calgary Stampede, cattle, and rais-
ing chickens were shown. All con-
testants tickets drawn were from
Sundre except those of Mr. Wana-
mans, 14, piles south of Westward
Ho post office, and Lester Inman of
Bergen. Both last parties mentioned
received prizes. Lester winning the
cash grand prize of \$5 cash and the
same in trade at J. McLeod's
store.

Surveyors are expected out at
Sundre early next spring to survey
parts of the village into lots.

Main highways and roads are
open but bush roads are blocked ex-
cept for teams and light loads.

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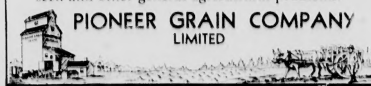
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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Field Marshal Alexander will have British aides when he assumes his post as governor-general of Canada.

Col. F. W. Purdy, clerk to the Aylmer, Norfolk, magistrates, was fined \$125.00 in his own court for not setting the handbrake of his car.

The Associated Press is making direct distribution of world news to newspapers in Turkey. It is the first time an outside news service has done so.

There are 100 trade unions in Nigeria according to the latest registration. The membership of the individual unions varies from 10 to nearly 3,000.

The United States, under its new liberalized occupation policy, may send up to 1,000,000 bales of cotton to Japan. General MacArthur has approved the program.

The first newspaper to be printed daily in Canada was the Montreal Daily Advertiser in 1823. Today, 90 daily newspapers from coast to coast keep Canadians informed.

The Arctica training ship is now back at her berth in the Midway, near Chatham, England, and it is hoped she will soon have her full complement of 240 boys training for the Royal Navy.

All restrictions have been removed in areas formerly used as practice landing ranges by R.C.A.F. training schools in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. The areas are declared safe for public use.

The destruction and scuttling of the U-boats taken from Germany has been concluded by the British Navy. Only 26 underwater craft from Germany's once numerous wolf packs still are in existence.

Depends On Currents

What Bottles Can Do In Ocean Travel Is Remarkable

It is a pity there can be no record of the voyaging of a bottle thrown into the sea off South Australia 28 years ago and containing a letter which has just been delivered to its addressee at Aylesbury. What but the can do in the way of ocean travel is remarkable, and the least fascinating point is the great difference in currents recorded in the rate of drift. In 1912 a bottle thrown into the sea at Studland Bay, Dorset, came ashore eleven months later at Christchurch, New Zealand, and another bottle put overboard off Cape Town in 1912 was found on the beach near Port Phillip, Australia, only seven months later, while a third bottle took four and a half years to drift from South Africa to the Shetlands, and a fourth took thirty-two years to travel from Stewart's Island, New Zealand, to the coast of Australia.

Much, of course, depends on the currents the bottle happens to encounter. Captain Simpson, who launched some 10,000 bottles on experimental voyages, found that 10 per cent of them came to the coast, though some of them travelled over 10,000 miles and he reckoned that the average rate of drift was less than half a mile per hour. Manchester Guardian.

Gay Stitchery



by Alice Brooks

"Unlucky good enough to call?" Remember these fruit motifs in cross-stitch for a bright note of color on pattern linens. Easy and fun to do. Let the children do this simple stitchery. They enjoy it. Pattern 7291 has a transfer of seven motifs, averaging 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" inches, stitched. To obtain this pattern and twenty cents in color illustration cannot be accepted to Household Arts Department, Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McBurnick Avenue E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your Name, Address and Pattern Number.

Shakes ordinarily use their venom as a defensive weapon only.



SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THU.	FRI.	SAT.
Minute Steak	Sau-sages	Fish	Lamb Stew	Left-over Stew	Eggs Florentine	Beef-burger
Group B	Group D	unrationed	Group D	left-over	unrationed	Group C
1 1/2 lb. 3 tokens	5 oz. 1 token		10 oz. 2 tokens			1 lb. 1 token

1 token left over.

A New Year's resolution made to be kept could beneficially be one for healthful eating. Too often the person living alone is content with a scrap. But around the weekly meat ration can be balanced attractive and appetizing meals, and you'll be surprised at what little time and effort are actually required in their preparation.

To begin the week when a guest may be on hand for Sunday dinner, minute steaks are suggested. Rice, potatoes and creamed celery would be good accompaniments. On Monday a token's worth of sausage, a jacketed potato and cooked-to-perfection cabbage make a tasty eating. A broiled fish steak, baked potatoes and parsley-buttered baked carrots will give you a meatless week.

meat for Tuesday. On Wednesday two shoulder lamb chops, along with unrationed kidney for added flavour and nutritional goodness, can form the basis of a luscious stew. Part of it can sit over a day in the ice box and make a tempting re-appearance on Thursday along with a tossed salad. Friday is an excellent day to get caught up with your dairy products consumption, and eggs florentine is a fine dish for this purpose. It is simply prepared by heating soft coagulated eggs in a bed of freshly cooked spinach and topping the whole with a cheese sauce. A quick trick for Saturday would be a beefburger with tomato sauce and your favored vegetables. The week's ration spending leaves you with that comfortable feeling of having one token to the good.

Idea Of Englishman

Man Who Introduced Daylight Saving Died Before It Was Tried

The British Kent County Journal has an interesting article on Sir William Willett. Though born at Farningham in Surrey in 1856, Willett lived most of his life at Chislehurst in Kent.

One morning on Chislehurst common, and noting how many bed-ridden people were down and people waiting busily for the morning sun, he conceived the idea of daylight saving. Willett, who was a builder by trade, was not an M.P., but he got his friend Robert Pearce to introduce the Daylight Saving Bill in Parliament in 1908. It took the First Great War, however, to persuade the politicians to pass it in 1916, by which time Willett had published nineteen editions of his "Waste of Daylight" pamphlet and had been dead just six years. He did not live to see his inspiration achieved, and certainly never envisaged such a possibility as Double Summer Time, the achievement of another Great War. He is buried in the churchyard of St. Nicholas at Chislehurst, and the National Trust has purchased some 88 acres of country near his home as a memorial to a true public benefactor. In this park stands a granite obelisk, commemorating him, with the inscription "Heras Non Nuncio Nil Aestivas". On the obelisk is a Willett Way and a Daylight Inn with a unique sign showing the sun between two clock faces.

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Tracing the glittering treasure from the water pipe, he began running down the road to show his prize to the townspeople at the bottom of the hill.

Unfortunately, his cold "diamond" began to melt. The faster he ran the faster it melted in his warm hands.

Just as he reached the bottom of the hill the last of the icicle vanished. When the cove told his friends of his adventure and showed his dripping hands they laughed at him and called him a dreamy fool.

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Antique Furniture

Post-War Britain Is Going Mad Over Art Treasures

Post-war Britain is "going mad over" antique furniture, paintings and ornaments, and a similar boom is predicted for the United States within two or three years.

At London's two largest art auction houses, Sotheby's and Christie's, spokesmen said that while there had been no fantastic prices for any one item, even the most ordinary art treasures bring two to five times their pre-war price.

"We've found that the market here is about two years ahead of the United States," Charles Fox Graz, a partner at Sotheby's said, "and good healthy American buying is still taking place which means they anticipate a boom in the market."

"I notice that the extraordinarily high prices are fetched by ordinary things rather than by extraordinary things," Des Graz added. "It's not that things bring \$5,000, but that things which used to fetch \$50 now bring \$400."

At Christie's, Sir Alec Martin, managing director, said that the general level of things of quality, "provided they are on the smallish side," was much higher than before the war but that there had been no real test of an outstanding article, such as a really great Gainsborough of a Rembrandt, since there have been none in the market.

He said people do not want "red-tape items" so much as things of some serviceable value which they can't buy new, such as English and foreign china, Georgian silver (rather than formerly popular Elizabethan), small furniture, pictures, carpets and tapestries.

Chippendale tables, "just big enough for a glass and an ashtray" now bring \$400 to \$500 where a few years ago they brought \$50 to \$80; a writing table that formerly cost \$1,000 now costs \$5,200; a diamond bracelet \$80 before now is worth \$1,200; Audubon's book of birds, one of the copies of which brought the world's record price of \$9,000 in 1957, now averages \$14,500 for a "quite bad copy."

Dresden china service is worth \$2,000 or twice its pre-war price; a small Florentine engraving will bring \$8,400; china and porcelain ornaments sold from \$120 to \$1,200, and a plain silver tea tray brings \$6,400.

Lost Treasure

Two Men Who Knew The Hiding Place Are Now Dead

Treasures from Oxford Museum of History and Science, including a clock face belonging to Cardinal Wolsey—are missing.

They are in a safe place. But the two men who knew the secret are dead.

The men were Dr. R. T. Gunther, curator, and Mr. Albert Joyce, the janitor.

When the war began they hid ten astrologer brass navigating instruments used by sailors a thousand years ago, Cardinal Wolsey's clock face, and some ancient watches. Where they hid them no one knows.

Dr. Gunther and Mr. Joyce died in 1940 and their secret went with them. London Daily Mail.



DIME HONORS F.D.R.

The U.S. mint is now making the Franklin D. Roosevelt dime to go into circulation soon. Face of the new coin carries the profile of the late president. On the other side is the torch of liberty with the olive branch of peace and the oak branch signifying strength.

Present weight of the Agia Khan is estimated at 235 pounds.

The diamonds, obtained from a diamond syndicate in London with the co-operation of the British and Indian Governments, will be brought to India under special escort. The celebration will take place at the Bradbourne Stadium, Bombay, before about 40,000 railfans and guests. It will be repeated in Dar-es-Salaam, East Africa, in August for the benefit of the Agia Khan's followers in Africa.

The London Museum set numbers about 20,000,000 followers in Asia, Africa and Europe. Followers in India alone have collected more than \$1,500,000. About \$900,000 will be polished diamonds which will be bought as souvenirs by followers. The remainder will be used for industrial diamonds which will be returned to the syndicate after the African ceremony.

A special pair of giant scales with a throne on which the Agia Khan will sit is being constructed in India.

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Health LEAGUE OF CANADA presents TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST

PENICILLIN INEFFECTIVE WHERE LOCKJAW CONCERNED

Tetanus, more commonly known as lockjaw, does not respond to penicillin treatment, according to Dr. W. A. Altemeier of the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine and the Cincinnati General Hospital. His findings, based on a clinical study of 16 cases of established generalized tetanus, were published in a recent issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

"Penicillin has not been beneficial in the treatment of tetanus because it has no effect on the Clostridium tetani toxin," wrote Dr. Altemeier. He went on to explain that tetanus is an acute infectious disease of the central nervous system caused by germs called Clostridium tetani.

He said that lockjaw occurs so frequently in small and insignificant wounds because these do not receive a physician's attention, whereas patients with large wounds are immediately injected with tetanus antitoxin which prevents the poison from spreading.

In this connection it is interesting to recall that Dr. Neiles Silverthorne of Toronto, chairman of the National Immunization Council of the Health League of Canada, advocates use of tetanus toxoid as an immunization agent against lockjaw. In a widely published article in the magazine "Health" some months ago, he emphasized there is now available, either singly or combined with other immunizing agents, an effective tetanus toxoid—an agent similar in effect to diphtheria toxin.

New Cars

Products They May Be Built With Plastic Bodies Within Two Years

William B. Stout is a well-known aviation engineer and automobile designer. He has some pertinent ideas as to trends in automobile design and manufacture.

Mr. Stout predicts that within two years all major manufacturers will be producing cars with plastic bodies much stronger than steel. These cars will have half the weight and twice the economy of present-day vehicles.

Cars such as Mr. Stout describes will give motorists a lot of things they have been wanting for years. Probably the most important of all is the gift of greatly increased vision to the driver. Operators of present-day cars have to guess at obstacles to their right. In four-engine cars they won't have to guess, they can see. Many an accident thus will be prevented.—Buffalo Courier-Express.

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LOCAL NEWS

K. Roy McLean, Optometrist, will
make his next visit to Didsbury at
the Rosebud Hotel on Monday, Mar.
4th, morning only. Wednesday to
Saturday consult at 1015 Southern
Bldg., Calgary. 21c

Mrs. K. Shannon and Mrs. Wm.
Ranton have both returned to their
respective homes following opera-
tions at the local hospital.

Mrs. E. G. Ranton, who has been
a patient in the Didsbury hospital
for the past month, has returned
to her home much improved in
health.

Leonard Berenson, well-known
radio commentator, will be guest
speaker at the Lions Club Anniver-
sary Dinner to be held in the Lions
Hall on Thursday night.

Miss Robinson is the new Junior
nurse at the health clinic.

Mrs. P.E. Liewer attended the
funeral in Three Hills on Feb. 10th,
of her sister, Mrs. Catherine Crist.

Sam Franklin has completed 25
years as janitor of the Didsbury
school. He is still hale and hearty
and recognized as the pupil's friend
and guide.

Mrs. Moulner celebrated her
64th birthday Saturday and has
been receiving birthday congratula-
tions from her many friends.

The C.G.I.T. Chicken Supper will
be held in the Knox United Church
basement on Thursday, February
28th, from 5 to 8 p.m. Everybody
welcome. Adults 50c; children 25c.

Aaron Klassen of Calgary man-
aged his official visits to the local
Builders' Hardware Store last Wed-
nesday.

Read the Want Ads for Profit
and pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. C.S. Sandford and
Marlene of Bearberry, and Mrs. A.
Sandford of Sundre spent the week-
end east of town with Mr. and Mrs.
Cliff Thaler.

Col. G.A. Morasch who has just
returned from three years overseas
spent a few days recently with his
sister, Mrs. T.J. Hunter, and Mr.
Hunter, of Red Deer.

Mrs. Alice Myers left Tuesday
for her home at Landon, North
Dakota after spending the past
three weeks visiting in Didsbury,
and with her brother, Cliff Thaler,
east of town.

The regular monthly meeting of
the Legion will be held on Wednes-
day, February 27, at 8:30 p.m.,
Topic for discussion: The Memo-
rial: Things We Have Fought For.
Freedom of the Press: Is it abused?
Freedom to Vote: Is it Exercised?
men and women are made very
welcome, and applications for mem-
bership are invited. United we
stand.

The Ranger Girl Guides Concert
and Box Social will be held at the
Rugby hall on Friday, March 1.

Mrs. J. Glaum and Miss Mary
Brauer were guests at the Allen
Hungerger home Wednesday evening.

Miss Marjorie Bruce of Didsbury
has commenced her duties as teach-
er of the primary school at Sun-
dre.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

NOTICE

Any complaints in regard to sani-
tation or other departments should
be sent to the Town Office in fu-
ture.

All Ratepayers who wish to ask
any question on the Waterworks
and Sewerage Scheme should ad-
dress their inquiries to the Town
Secretary or to E.J. Rouleau. All
questions will be reasonably an-
swered.

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OLD ENGLISH NO RUB LIQUID WAX—
Pint size **49c**
JOHNSON'S PASTE WAX, 1-lb. **59c**
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K. A. Cassidy advises that he has
sold the Red & White Grocery busi-
ness to A.E. Sherrick.

Mrs. M. Walton and daughter
Mrs. Murphy of Innisfail have been
visiting the former's daughter, Mrs.
Roy McArthur, and Mr. McArthur.

Mrs. Fred Adler of Olds spent
Saturday with Mrs. Ruth Eckel.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCulloch Sr.
spent a few days in Calgary last
week.

SEE J.V. BERSCHT & SONS AD.
ON PAGE 4 OF THIS ISSUE.

One Pee Wee Team and two Mid-
dle teams from Didsbury will enter
chuck wagon races in the carnival
to be held at Olds this Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Halliday
were Calgary visitors the first of
the week.

Call for your Oil Brooder at the
Builders' Hardware Store.

Col. E.B. Erickson of Bergen and
LAC A.F. Greding of Didsbury are
among the RCMP personnel to ar-
rive this week from overseas.

Jack McCluskey's Bear Rink, with
Kenny Cassin, Jas. Calhoun and
Art Reiber, played in the southern
Alberta finals in Calgary last week
and won three of their five games,
but did not win the championship.

Miss Wava Deadrick, who enters
the Royal Alexandra hospital in
Edmonton to train for a nurse, was
honored by friends at a party re-
cently, when she was presented
with a leather writing case. Miss
Deadrick has been employed at the
local telephone office for the past
two years.

Since Nylon hosiery Tuesday
morning caused a crowd to line up
in front of Ranton's store, but five
minutes after the store opened the
meagre supply of Nylons were dis-
posed of. However, Mr. Ranton ex-
pects better stocks of Nylons in the
next couple of months, as do the
other stores in town handling this
line of ladies' wear.

"Oren House" will be held at
Mountain View Bible School on
Friday, February 22nd, from 7.30
to 10.30 p.m. Friends are invited
to visit the school on this occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brownlee,
former Premier of Alberta, Mrs.
Norman Priestly and Geo. Church,
president of the Provincial U.F.A.,
were dinner guests at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Scheid Sunday.

A Didsbury rink of lady curlers
took in the two-day bonspiel at
Innisfail last Wednesday and Thurs-
day and retained their second
prize in the consolation, after play-
ing five games Thursday. Mrs. W.
C. McCoy skipped the rink, and the
other players were Mrs. H. R.
Gillrie, Mrs. H. Enn, and Mrs. E.
Dumont.

DIDSBURY HOSPITAL BIRTHS.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. (Phyllis)
Crombell on Sunday, Feb. 17, a
boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. K. McBee on
Tuesday, Feb. 12, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Allen Krebs on
Monday, Feb. 11, a girl.

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Rowell, phone R1006, Olds. 8-2p

FOR SALE—Eagle Seed Oats, Gov-
ernment Test 93%. Apply to M.
Shaw, Box 218, Didsbury. 6-3p

FOR SALE—80 Watt 32-Volt Decco
Lighting Plant; also 1/2 h.p. 32-
volt motor. Apply to Alex Bucky-
ley, phone 1005, Olds. 8-2p

FOR SALE or TRADE—One 11 1/2
foot J.D. Stiff Tooth Cultivator,
tractor hitch, power lift. Wanted
heavy 10-foot Tractor Disc in
good shape. Apply to Willard
Folk, Castairs. 6-3p

FOR SALE—Spanish Guitar with
Hawaiian attachments. An excep-
tionally good instrument. Audi-
torium size; including new case.
Apply to Samuel Thomas, R.R. 2
Didsbury. 7-2p

FOR SALE—7 room House, 2 lots
and acreage. Early possession. Ap-
ply to Roy G. McArthur. 8-2p

FOR SALE—Robin Grain Loader
and attachments, in A-1 shape.
Apply to H. Unzer, phone 96,
Didsbury. 8-3p

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ing and Painting done early.
Reasonable. Phone C.F. Stroud,
1717, Didsbury. 7-4c

FOR SALE—1 three-room cot-
tage, rented 1 large roomed
dwelling 18x18, furnished, imme-
diate possession. Apply to W. K.
Nelson, Didsbury. 11p

FOR SALE—RCA Victor Mantel
Radio, 5 tube with 7-tube per-
formance. Also two Amnister
Rues, 9x10's. Apply to P. E.
Liewer, phone 77. 8-3p

FOR SALE—1937 Chev. truck, ton-
ne, 6x8 grain box, good condi-
tion. Also 5 roll, 16-inch Viking
Grain Cleaner, with several ex-
tra rolls, and hand or power at-
tachments. N. Reid Clarke. 8-2p

FOR SALE—Registered Yorkshire
Bour. No. 393777 (from Olds
School Agriculture Stock). Phone
506, C.P. Belmer, Didsbury. 1c

FOR SALE—4-piece Bedroom Suite
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Chair; also Old Chair. Kitchen
Set in White. Apply to the Radio
Shop, phone 33. 1p

FOR SALE—Victory Seed Cuts,
Government test 99%. Apply to
M.E. Archer, phone 707. 8-2p

WESTERDALE NOTES

Mr. G. Arnold will be at the
Westerdale hall with the National
Film Board picture show Friday,
February 22. Show will commence
at 8.30 p.m. The novelty dance
will be held following the show.

The meetings of the Willing Work-
ers held at the home of Mrs. E.
Nelson Tuesday last was well at-
tended when 15 members and three
visitors were present. Roll call was
answered with suggestions on how
to make our club a success. Some
very good suggestions were given.
A very interesting talk was given
by Mrs. Harry Jackson on her trip
to Rosedale, B.C.

The next meeting will be held at
the home of Mrs. W. Herbert on
March 12.

When Judy demanded why Pedro
called her a "coffee pot" she
got this answer: "Because the brakes
grind, the radiator boils, the mo-
tor rerts, and there's a drip at the
wheel."

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EVANGELICAL CHURCH NOTES

"Andrew, the Personal Worker"
will be the theme on Sunday, Feb.
24th at 10.30 a.m. Andrew brought
his own brother, Peter, to Jesus,
and he became a real power for the
Lord.

Sunday school will be held at
11.30 a.m., and at Jutland at 2 p.m.
Church service at Jutland will be
at 3 p.m.

The Youth Fellowship will have
charge of the evening service when
Craftman Jim Hooper will bring
the message. He has had interest-
ing experiences overseas, serving
the Lord. We invite all to hear him.
The Albricht Brotherhood will
meet on Monday, Feb. 25, at 8 p.m.
We invite all men to attend.

M.B.C. CHURCH NOTES

M.B.C. Church, Feb. 25th at 7.45 p.m.
the Young People's Society will
have charge of the meeting. "In-
fluencing the World for Christ"
will be the topic for the service.
Special numbers in song will be
given. You will enjoy this service.
Come and bring a friend.

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